

The Weather We May Have

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday;
cooler tonight.
Today's temperature 79.
J. M. SHERMAN, Observer.

CITY CHAT.

Buy one—a Kinship cigar.
Open tonight. Dolly Bros.
Home grown grapes at Long's.
Fancy osage muskmelons at Passig's.
Forty-pound watermelons at Horton's.
Plenty of Michigan peaches at Long's.
For reliable fire insurance call on E. J. Burns.
Plenty of basket peaches 25 cents at Passig's.
Hammocks, one-third off price to close out at John T. Noftsker's.
Our August clearing sale without a rival, all this week, at McCabe Bros'.
Do you want to buy a mantel and grate? John T. Noftsker has lots of them.
Sweet milk, cream, buttermilk and ice cream at 111 and 113 Nineteenth street.
Pictures of the battleships only 10 cents at The Flemming Furniture Company.
The Poddy Ross testimonial occurs at Davenport Saengerfest auditorium this evening.
Ten gross of those 2-quart tin pails with covers at 1 cent each at McCabe's busy annex.
Business property, residence property and lots for sale in all parts of the city by E. J. Burns.
The big, the best, the busy store is McCabe's, where the great August clearing sale is now at flood tide.
\$2.50. Rock Island to Milwaukee and return Saturday evening, Aug. 20 via the C. M. & St. P. railway.
The Young Ladies' Society of the Swedish Lutheran church of Moline, will give a trolley party tomorrow evening.
On page two of this evening's issue will be found an announcement of the Boston store, Davenport, that will be of great value to shrewd buyers. Read it.
Sweeps everything before it, submerges all attempts at competition, and is a clearing sale which will be remembered for years to come. See McCabe's ad.
If, where attractions are so numerous, you can find a department at McCabe's where they're not rushed, pitch in and make your selections or you may have to wait for others.
There will be a sleeping car attached to the special excursion train for Milwaukee Saturday evening, Aug. 20. Parties who desire to use this car should make their reservations early.
We shall soon usher in our new fall stock. Determined not to carry over any light weights, we are making quite a stir with the men's suits we have placed on sale at \$8.50 and \$8.90. M. & K.
Save your money and take in the cheap excursion to Milwaukee. Train leaves Rock Island Saturday evening, Aug. 20. Returning train will leave Milwaukee Sunday evening, Aug. 21. Only \$2.50 for the round trip.
Tickets for the excursion to Milwaukee Saturday, Aug. 20, are on sale at Hartz & Ulmever's, Marshall & Fisher's, Louis Glockhoff's, Bleuer's jewelry store, and C. M. & St. P. depot. \$2.50 for the round trip.
People are wondering how we can afford to sell such quantities in men's suits at \$8.50 and \$8.90. They are irresistible trade winners and demonstrate in the most convincing manner M. & K's method of forcing business.
Hon. W. F. Cody ("Buffalo Bill"), was well entertained during his recent 2-day's stay in Davenport, as he is an old Scott county boy. While driving on the island with Col. Nutting Sunday afternoon, Col. Cody recognized in Capt. Mitham an old friend of the frontier, and a pleasant renewal of acquaintance was the result.
The Marie Bell Opera company was prevented by rain from presenting "The Mascot" last night at the Watch Tower theatre. The repertoire of the closing week includes: Tonight, "Chimes of Normandy"; Thursday, "Mikado"; Friday, "Olivette"; Saturday, "Pinafore"; and "Cavalleria Rusticana"; Sunday, matinee and night, "Mascotte".
Jonas Bear has a letter from Mrs. Baer of Appleton, Wis., the mother of the boy brought from Porto Rico to Virginia, suffering from illness contracted on the battlefield, and who he first thought, owing to the similarity of names, was his son Alfred, of Company A. Mrs. Baer thanks Mr. Bear for his expressions of sympathy and states that she will keep him posted from time to time as to the condition of her son.
On Saturday evening, Aug. 20, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will run a special excursion train to Milwaukee. Tickets for this excursion will be sold at rate of \$2.50 for the round trip. Train will start from Rock Island at about 9:30 p. m., reaching Milwaukee at 6 a. m. Returning train leaves Milwaukee 11 p. m. Sunday, Aug. 21, arriving at Rock Island 6 a. m. The number of tickets on sale for this train is limited and it will be well for those who contemplate making the trip to purchase their tickets at once.
J. W. Cavanaugh, chairman of the Rock Island county democratic committee, has a letter from A. C. Bent-

lev, secretary of the state democratic committee, stating that the chairman and secretary of the latter committee will meet at the Harper house, this city, at 1 p. m., Friday of this week, and confer with the officers of every county organization in the Tenth congressional district, who have been notified to be present, as have also members of the congressional and senatorial committees, candidates for congress and representatives and democratic editors. M. F. Dunlap and Prof. P. O. Stiver, candidates for treasurer and superintendent of public instruction, respectively, will attend the meeting.

John Foetel, of Davenport, while walking on Horse island, below town, in his bare feet yesterday, saw a rattlesnake and tackled it. The reptile recoiled and suddenly turned and bit him in the leg. He came very nearly dying before he received the proper attention, but is probably out of danger now. He will take a snake for what it is worth now.

John Williams, Arrin Swathers and Ed. Swathers, farmers living near McCausland, Iowa, reported to Sheriff McArthur, at Davenport, today, that last Saturday night en route to Davenport on the Buffalo Bill train they were robbed of their watches and chains and a gramophone and thrown from the train. They charge attaches of the show with the crime. Sheriff McArthur has written the show management about the affair and expects an answer.

IS HOME FROM THE FRONT.

Private Berglund, of Company F, Moline, on a furlough.

Fred Berglund, of Company F, Moline, which with Company A is within the 6th regiment in Porto Rico, is home. He was given a 30-days' furlough, his time expiring Sept. 13, and he is directed to report for duty at Rock Island arsenal or with his regiment at that time. Private Berglund was taken with tonsillitis soon after leaving Santiago, and the facilities for treating patients at Porto Rico were so inadequate that it was decided to send him to the hospital at Fort Monroe.

He left Porto Rico Aug. 2 on the hospital ship Lampasas, arrived at Fort Monroe Aug. 6, was detained there for five days, and left Washington city for home Sunday night last, the 14th.

He says that Private Byers, also of Company F, was taken sick with rheumatism soon after his arrival at Camp Alger and he never saw a well day after then. When the Lampasas, on which they returned, arrived in this country, Lieut. Gaylord, also of Moline, was looking badly—had wasted away so from fever that he hardly knew him—but since his arrival he has been improving rapidly and he thinks he will be all right again soon. Paul Hammond and Victor Engdahl, two other members of Company F, were detailed for nurse duty, and are now at Fort Monroe, Va. He reports the general health of the regiment good.

Weddings.

Louis C. Johnson and Miss Gracie B. Whitesides, of Cordova, were married today at noon, at the parsonage of the First Methodist church, Rev. C. O. McCulloch performing the ceremony.

Edward Olson and Miss Hannah Anderson, both of Moline, were married yesterday at the court house by Judge Adams.

THE COUNTY TEMPLE.

Transfers.

Aug. 16—Alexander Zeigler to Anton M. Glanz, \$45 acres lot 6, assessor's plat of 12, 18, 19, 20 part sw 1/4 12, 19, 18, \$3,100.

Why They Wore Armor.

To such a pitch of exasperation did the practice of using buttons in the shirt drive the men of the middle ages that they adopted the plan of wearing brass or steel armor, fastened together with metallic bolts. The popular idea that men wore armor in order to fight in it is manifestly absurd, since no man could possibly have fought when in it in half a hundredweight of metal. Armor was worn solely in order to avoid the worry of shirts with missing buttons.

There were distinct advantages connected with the chain steel shirts. When one of these garments came home on Saturday night from the washerwoman, the owner could feel reasonably certain that the metallic clasps at the neck and in the bosom were all in their proper places, for no washerwoman could have succeeded in detaching them without the use of a cold chisel. If it did so happen that the washerwoman's husband had been run over by a steam roller while wearing a steel shirt belonging to one of his wife's customers, and one of the metallic fastenings had thereby been injured, the customer in question could not accuse his wife of negligence and demand to know why she failed to keep his shirts in proper repair.—London Answers.

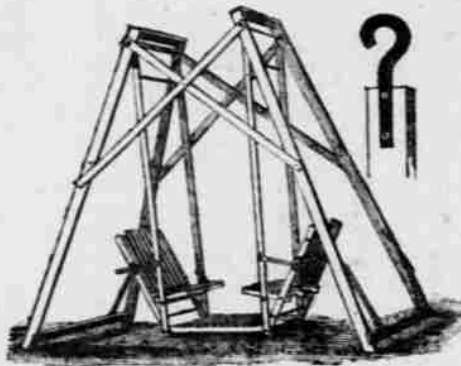
Se. and Weather.

On the 1st of July the earth receives 6 per cent less heat from the sun than it does during a corresponding period in the month of January. But winter does not occur then in the northern hemisphere, because the sun runs high in the sky and its rays fall upon the earth more nearly vertically than six months later, and, too, the day is much longer than the night, so that while the sun sends us a little less heat in total amount we get a much larger proportion of what it does give us than we do in January, when the total heat for the whole earth is greater.—New York Times.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, \$1. All druggists.

THE "Enterprise"



Automatic Lawn Swing. Easy Chair and Hammock.

DAVID DON,

1615-1617 Second Avenue.

ROCK ISLAND.

FOR THE FINEST

Fruits and vegetables always go to HESS BROS'. They have a nice assortment. Read their list:

VEGETABLES.

Head Lettuce, Cauliflower, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Summer Squash, Celery, Radishes, Corn.

FRUITS.

Blueberries, Cherries, Blackberries, Apples, California and Georgia Peaches, Pears, Plums, Currants, Muskmelons and Watermelons on ice.

POULTRY.

Dressed Spring Chickens and Ducks.

HESS BROS.
1620 Second Ave. Telephone 1031.

ECKHART'S

Clearing Sale.

LOT No. 1.—10 dozen china plates, worth 30, 25 and 30 cents, sale price 12 1/2 cents.
Lot No. 2.—China cream pitchers, decorated, worth 25, 30 and 35 cents, sale price 19 cents.
Lot No. 3.—Japanese tea pots, worth 35 cents, sale price 19 cents.
Lot No. 4.—Imitation cut glass vases, worth 20, 25 and 30 cents, sale price 15 cents.
Lot No. 5.—50 boxes writing paper, sale price 5 cents.
Lot No. 6.—Coffee mills, sale price 15 cents.
Lot No. 7.—50 bars toilet soap, regular price 5 and 10 cents, sale price 3 cents.
Lot No. 8.—Japaned bread box, sale price 33 cents.
Lot No. 9.—8 drawer spice cabinet hard wood, names on drawers, sale price 49 cents.
Lot No. 10.—5,000 packages envelopes, 24 in package, sale price 5 cents.
Lot No. 11.—14 quart tin dish pans, sale price 10 cents.
Lot No. 12.—10 quart galvanized iron pails, sale price 10 cents.
Lot No. 13.—Complete glass lamps, sale price 15 cents.
Lot No. 14.—10-cent whisk brooms, sale price 5 cents.
Lot No. 15.—Water sets, closing them out at half price.
Lot No. 16.—Hammocks worth \$1.25 to \$1.50, sale price 85 cents.

ECKHART'S

Phone 4474. Twentieth Street.

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But We Do Buy and Sell All Goods On a Cash Basis.

That is the reason why it costs you so much less to live when you trade at : : : :

NELSON'S CASH GROCERY,

329 Twentieth Street. Phone 1090.

Men! Here's Your Chance



Regent \$3.50 Tans, to close out at - - - \$2.90

All of our \$5.00 Tans go at - - - \$4.00

For the Ladies.

Ladies \$4.00 Tans - - - \$3.00 Ladies \$3 Tans - - - \$2.35

Now go at - - - 2.75 Ladies \$2.25 Tans - - - 1.50

Go at - - -

THE BOSTON

We close at 6:30 except Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

\$8.50 AND \$8.90

THAT'S the price we are quoting for Men's Suits. Of course, we have cheaper grades at a less price, but the Men's Suits we have placed on sale at \$8.50 and \$8.90 outshine anything you have ever seen at that price. It would be an easy matter for us to say "worth \$20," but that would be fabulous; we much prefer having you compare them with the wonderful (?) \$12 bargains advertised by other dealers—then you will be able to appreciate these excellent values. There are quite a variety of patterns and colors—

BLACK, BLUE, BROWN, TANS, CHECKS, GRAY MIXTURES, ETC.

They are strictly all wool, tailored and trimmed in the best possible way, and we fit and press every suit before leaving the store. When you call, ask to see the \$8.50 and \$8.90 suits advertised.

M. & K.

TWO BIGGEST STORES—TWO BEST STORES.

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